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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims:

1. (Previously Presented) A quote and order entry system comprising:
a quote interface module adapted to receive information from a quote information source, the quote interface module assembling the received information in an interactive user interface, wherein in the interactive user interface a first category of information is displayed together with a first plurality of concentric bands each having a dimension determined based on ask size information and a second plurality of concentric bands each having a dimension determined based on bid size information.

2. (Original) The system of claim 1, wherein the first category of information comprises one or more of a stock symbol, last price information, bid tick information, bid price information, price change for day information, ask price information, last size information, a split-buy button and a split-sell button.

3. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the bands of the first plurality and the bands of the second plurality are dynamic and are capable of being resized based on liquidity.

4. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the bands of the first plurality and the bands of the second plurality are selectable.

5. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 4, wherein upon selection of one of a band of the first plurality and a band of the second plurality, an order module assembles an order based on section information and information associated with the selected band.
6. (Original) The system of claim 5, wherein the information associated with the selected band comprises price point information.
7. (Original) The system of claim 5, wherein the selected band further includes market participant information including at least one of market-maker identifiers, exchange identifiers and Electronic Communication Network identifiers.
8. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the bands of the first plurality and the bands of the second plurality are resizable based on at least one of linear proportions, logarithmic proportions, linear resizable proportions and scale to fit.
9. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, further comprising a stop button that freezes the bands of the first plurality and the bands of the second plurality.
10. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the bands of the first plurality and the bands of the second plurality are user configurable such that at least one of color, size, font, refresh rate, minimum band width, maximum band width and proportionalities can be selected.

11. (Original) The system of claim 1, further comprising a summary module adapted to display at least one of summary information and order information.

12. (Original) The system of claim 1, further comprising an order module that is capable of assembling and displaying one or more of an order preview interface and an order confirmation interface.

13. (Original) The system of claim 12, wherein an order preview interface and an order confirmation interface are capable of being disabled to allow one-click transactions.

Claims 14-36 (Cancelled).

37. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the first plurality of bands and the second plurality of bands are disposed to opposite sides of a common center so as to be opposed to each other.

38. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the bands of the first plurality have respective widths that vary based on ask size information, and the bands of the second plurality have respective widths that vary based on bid size information.

39. (Currently Amended) The system of claim 1, wherein each band of the first plurality has a color different from that of any adjacent band of the first plurality, and

wherein each band of the second plurality has a color different from that of any adjacent band of the second plurality.

40. (Previously Presented) The system of claim 1, wherein the bands of the first plurality and the bands of the second plurality are arc-shaped.